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St. James's, November 8.

THE following Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Capital Burgeſſes, Common-Council, and Principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Plymouth, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable Lord Viſcount Bartington, one of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid Borough: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Capital Burgeſſes, Common-Council, and Principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Plymouth, beg Leave to approach your Majeſty with our moſt ſincere and dutiful Congratulations on the Birth of a Princeſs; and likewiſe on the Marriage of the Princeſs Caroline Matilda, your Majeſty's Royal Siſter, with the King of Denmark.

May the Auguſt Houſe of Hanover ſtill increaſe, and, by its Intermarriages, cement the Proteſtant Intereſt in Europe.

The late gracious Interpoſition of your Majeſty's Prerogative, whereby this Nation was ſaved from Dearth and Famine, and all their attendant Calamities, demand our moſt grateful Acknowledgments. In former Times the Royal Prerogative was ſeldom vigorouſly exerted, but for the Purpoſe of Violating the Liſe, the Liberty, or the Property of the Subject; it was ſeldom felt but in its moſt terrible Conſequences.

Now under your Majeſty's moſt Auſpicious Reign, it has relieved the Neceſſities of your People; it has revived the drooping Trade and Manufactures of this Kingdom, and ſupplied the Defects and Imperfections of your Laws: May your Majeſty ſtill continue to place your chief Glory in the Proſperity of your People, and make the Exerciſe of your Royal Power conducive to their Intereſts.

Dated at the Council Chamber of this Borough, the 29th Day of October, 1766.

Florence, October 25. The Great Dutcheſs has been very ill for many Days, but is now without any Fever, though extremely weak.

Turin, October 25. The Baron de Baſquiat de la Houze, Plenipotentiary from the Court of France to that of Parma, paſſed by this Place laſt Sunday, in his Way to Parma.

Whitehall, November 8.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Robert Coney, John Cowſlade, George Chad, and John Grey, Eſqrs. together with Daniel Bull, Eſq; in the Room of Francis Hales, Eſq; deceaſed, to be Commiſſioners for Appeals, and regulating His Majeſty's Duties of Exciſe.

[Price Three-Pence.]

Whitehall, November 8, 1766.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That on Thurſday Night laſt the 6th inſtant, the following anonimous threatening and incendiary Letter was found, dropped in the Market-Place in the Borough of Leiceſter, near the Houſe of Mr. Alderman Joſeph Chambers, one of His Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for the ſaid Borough, containing the following Letters and Figures, to wit:

" To Mr Josh Chambers, Eſqr Cornwall Leice-
" ſter. Leſter 1 Nom: 1766. Mr Chambers Sir
" I deſire you will ſho this to the mare and con-
" ſider before it is to late for by G..d if he dos
" not leve ofe his D...m...e Rogiſh Proſcedings
" as Proviſions may be cheaper by G..d well have
" blood by Night or day for we can proove he has
" been in the Country latly and Bots Wheat at
" 4s. 6d pr Buſhill and it brote to Markit and gave
" 7s. 6d pr do. vnder a coler to deſeve the pore
" people a Cording to his old Rogiſh Coſtom and
" is to ſending People to Goal as you do you had
" more need ſee and alter the Price of Bread for you
" no it is 2d pr Pound and that is more then can
" be aford it to be gave by the Pore Conſide whe-
" ther the a Bove is not ſore ſtaling you are a Pak
" of D...m...e Roges and if you all dont take
" warning by the Bove lines By G..d we will fire
" your houſe and ye mayes Eſpſhely fiſhers Mills
" you pretend to frite People but you are Da..m...y
" Deſeved for we may as well be hanged as pinde
" you pak of D...mnation Roges."

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in Writing the ſaid anonimous threatening and incendiary Letter, or dropping the ſame, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Perſon who actually wrote or dropped the ſaid Letter) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in ſaid Facts, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SHELBURNE.

And, as a further Encouragement, I John Fiſher, Mayor of Leiceſter, do hereby promiſe a Reward of Fifty Pounds *to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except as above excepted) to be paid by me upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.* John Fiſher.

St. James's, November 8, 1766.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented unto the King, That on Monday the 27th Day of October laſt an anonymous threatening incendiary Letter was found, laid upon a Bank by the Side of the High Road, before the Dwelling-houſe of Mary Smallpiece, of Stoke next Guilford in the County of Surry, Widow, Tenant to Jeremiah Dyſon, Eſq; of the ſame Place, directed as is herein after mentioned, and containing the Words following, viz.

" to Mr. Dyſon at Stooke
" near Guilford in Surry "

" this is to Let you Know that if we have not a Ale
" Houſe again that I will Sertingly Set Some of
" your Bilding or Smallpieſes afire for all we pore
" pepel Sofers for want of Small Bear if it Had Been
" Done By the pariſh or By Juſtis or Reſen we could
" not Have Blamed you i Have your Bilding a
" Comemand any Night."

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His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in Writing the ſaid anonymous threatening incendiary Letter, and putting the ſame in the Place above-deſcribed, is, hereby, pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Perſon who actually wrote the ſame) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in the ſaid Facts, ſo as he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

H. S. CONWAY.

And as a farther Encouragement, the ſaid Jeremiah Dyſon, Eſq; does hereby promiſe a Reward of Fifty Pounds, *to any Perſon or Perſons (except as above excepted) making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid; to be paid, by him, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

Jeremiah Dyſon.

St. James's, October 31, 1766.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That a threatening incendiary Letter, directed to Mr. Simon Seek, a Farmer of Aſhley in the County of Wilts, having been dropt or placed, was lately found and picked up, at the Quarters of the ſaid Iſaac Seek, at the Sign of the Red Bull in Tetbury in the County of Glouceſter; which ſaid threatening incendiary Letter was ſuperſcribed as hereunder, and contained the Words and Letters following, viz.

" To
" Mr Seek
" Asley ner Tetbury
" with Speed"

" Simon Seek dam we if we dont ſett Your houſe
" and You a fire if you dont Let out the Man you
" have gote into Couſterd and dam naon may Peck
" us up if you Atemps to take up any more of us
" dam us if we dont Set you a fire Before a fort-
" night go over our head and that toddle guted
" Son of bich Sem Jones if ye do entertain you is
" houſe ſhall be Puld down over is yars for we can
" rice to or three thaand Men at enany time with
" all ſort of Wepens for we will ſooner die man
" by man than ye ſhould by hurt and Let him go
" and we will ſay no more about to and if you dont
" very ſoon Look to it for by God we will do it
" and you ſay flams is hot but hell is hotter and
" dam us if you burn without you let the boy out.
" So no more from your ever loven frind
" Dam Bad."

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in Writing the ſaid threatening incendiary Letter, and in Dropping or Placing it as above-mentioned, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Perſon who actually wrote the ſame) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in the ſaid Facts, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

H. S. CONWAY.

And, as a further Encouragement, the ſaid Simon Seek, of Aſhley in the County of Wilts, Farmer, does hereby promiſe a Reward of Twenty Guineas *to any Perſon or Perſons (except as above excepted) making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, to be paid by him upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

Simon Seek.

East-India-Houſe, October 31, 1766.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies, do hereby give Notice, That the General Court of the ſaid Company, called at the Deſire of Nine Proprietors, on ſpecial Affairs, (inſtead of the Meeting as before advertiſed to be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street) will, for the better Accommodation of the Proprietors, be held at Merchant Taylors Hall in Threadneedle-Street, on Friday the 11th Day of November next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

Victualling-Office, October 31, 1766.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 17th of December next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (ſealed up) and treat with ſuch Perſons as may be willing to contract for Furniſhing ſuch of His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels with Sea Proviſions as may touch at North Carolina, and be in Want thereof; alſo Freſh Beef on a ſeparate Contract.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling-Office, London.

Victualling-Office, November 6, 1766.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is Money in the Hands of the Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Navy, to pay Intereſt and Non-Intereſt Bills regiſtered on the Courſe of the Victualling in the Months of September and October 1765, in order that the Perſons poſſeſſed of the ſaid Bills may bring them to this Office to be aſſigned for Payment.

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, October 11, 1766.

Notice is hereby given, that ſuch Perſons as may be willing to purchaſe (together or in ſeparate Parcels) the Dues of Lead-Ore, raiſed from Michaelmas 1765, to Michaelmas 1766, within the Manor of Alſton-Moor, Part of the Derwent-water Eſtate in the County of Cumberland, may deliver in their Propoſals (ſealed up) to the Directors of this Hoſpital, at Salters Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 12th Day of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; or on or before Friday the 7th Day of the ſame Month, to Meſſ. Walton and Smeaton, at Farnacres near Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

Jn° Ibbetſon, *Secretary.*

N. B. It is expected that Security be given by the reſpective Purchaſers before the Delivery begins, for Payment of the Money at Michaelmas, 1767, and to oblige them to remove the Ore before that Time.

Equivalent-Office, November 5, 1766.

The Court of Directors of the Equivalent Company give Notice, that the Tranſfer Books of the ſaid Company, will be ſhut on Wedneſday the 17th Day of December next, and continue ſo till Wedneſday the 7th of January next, in order to ſettle a Dividend of Two per Cent. due the 5th of January next; and that the Warrants for the ſaid Dividend will be ready to be delivered out and paid on Wedneſday the ſaid 7th of January next, and afterwards every Wedneſday, from Eleven in the Forenoon to One in the Afternoon, at the Equivalent Houſe in Warnford Court, Throgmorton-Street, London, and at their Office in Edinburgh.

James Mathias, *Secretary.*

Weſtminſter Fire-Office, Bedford-Street Covent-Garden, October 23, 1766.

The under-mentioned Gentlemen were choſen Directors of the ſaid Office for the Year inſuing.

Old Directors.	*New Directors.*
Gerard Howard, Eſq;	*William Robinſon, Eſq;*
Thomas Simmons, Eſq;	*Richard Filewood, Eſq;*
John Spinnage, Eſq;	*Mr. Edw. Hutchinſon.*
Mr. Richard Dixon.	*Mr. John Story.*
Mr. William Barlow.	*Mr. William Grantham.*
Mr. Percivall Bentley.	*Mr. Henry Bell.*
Mr. John Channon.	*Mr. Thomas Ayliffe.*
Mr. Joſeph Booth.	*Mr. John Fladgate.*
Mr. Thomas Bird.	*Mr. Samuel Johnſtone.*

Mine Adventurers Company.

This is to give Notice, that a General Court of the Governor and Company of the Mine Adventurers of England, will be held at the George and Vulture Tavern in Cornhill, on Thurſday the 20th Day of this Inſtant November, at One in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor, Deputy Governor, and Twelve Directors, for the Year enſuing.

Hoſpital for the Maintenance and Education of Expoſed and Deſerted Young Children, October 22, 1766.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Court of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of this Hoſpital, will be held at the ſaid Hoſpital, (by Adjournment) on Wedneſday the 19th of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning; when all the ſaid Governors and Guardians are deſired to be preſent.

T. Collingwood, *Secretary.*

Free British Fishery Office, Royal Exchange,
Thursday November 6, 1766.

The President of the Society of the Free British Fishery doth hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the said Society will be held at this Office, on Wednesday the 26th instant, from Eleven in the Forenoon till Two in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor, President, Vice-President; and also a Council, consisting of thirty Persons, out of and from the Members of the said Society.

Orwell, *President.*

From the Commissioners for Paving the Streets of Westminster, &c. November 5, 1766.

Whereas Application has been made by several of the Inhabitants of Houghton-Street and Holles-Street near Clare-Market in the Parish of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middlesex, to the said Commissioners, requesting them to new-pave and take the said Streets under their Direction, being ready to advance a competent Sum of Money for the Paving thereof; The said Commissioners, pursuant to the Direction of the Act passed in the Fifth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, give Notice, that the Owners, Leaseholders and Occupiers of Houses in the said Streets are required to meet on Wednesday the 10th Day of December next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Westminster Bridge Office in Old Palace Yard, Westminster, to signify their Assent to or Dissent from New-paving the said Streets.

By Order of the Commissioners,
Geo. Box, *Clerk.*

Dr. *ANDERSON's*, or The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inglish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

IF any of the Heirs of the late Rev. Mr. Thorburn, formerly a Dissenting Minister of Sowerby near Halifax, and lately Curate of Grimston near Richmond, in the County of York, (where he died) be living, and will apply to the Widow of Elkanah Hitchin near Sowerby, they will be entitled to a Collection of Books left there, on paying a Debt of Five Guineas and all reasonable Charges on them. If no Person apply before the 1st Day of December 1766, they will be sold, and the Money that remains, after paying the above Debt and Charges, will be lodged in the Hands of the said Widow Hitchin.

PUrsuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees (if any unsatisfied) of Jasper Jeffery, formerly of Aylosse-Street in the Parish of St. Mary Whitechapel in the County of Middlesex, Citizen and Cooper of London, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Order.

TO be peremptorily sold, in one Lot, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, on Tuesday the 2d Day of December next, between Five and Six in the Afternoon, before John Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, Ten Leasehold Messuages or Tenements, Part situate in Great Marlbro' Street and Part in Poland-Street, in the Parish of St. James, Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, now or late in the Occupations of Patterson, Esq; Edward Fitzgerald, Esq; Mr. Walker, Mr. Shruder, Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Tucke, Mr. Sankey, Mr. Marlow, Mr. Green, and Mr. Hunter. Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Thursday the 27th Day of November instant, between the Hours of Six and Seven in the Afternoon; The Freehold Estate late of Robert Brent Lytcott, Esq; deceased, being the Manor of Larke Stoke near Camden in the County of Gloucester; and also a Capital Messuage, and several Farms of Arable, Meadow, and Pasture Lands in Larke Stoke aforesaid, together of about the yearly Value of 400 l. Further Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

Whitehaven, November 1, 1766.

ALL Persons who have any Claim or Demand of the Estate of Henry Benn, of Whitehaven, Ship Carpenter, are desired forthwith to send in their Accounts, verified to us his Trustees: And all Persons who are indebted to the said Henry Benn, are required immediately to pay in their Debts to us without further Notice, otherwise they will be sued for the same, as a Dividend of Ten Shillings in the Pound is intended to be made, on or about the 15th Day of December next, by us,

Joseph Glassford.
George Walker.
Joseph Simpson.

NOtice is hereby given, That the Assignees of the Estate of Mr. William Paice the Elder, of Basingstoke in Hants, Farmer and Chapman, in Trust for themselves and other his Creditors, have appointed to meet at the House of Mr. Isaac Blake, known by the Sign of the White Hart, in Basingstoke, on the 20th Day of November instant, by Eleven in the Forenoon, in order to render their Accounts, and apportion and pay a Dividend to the said Creditors.

ALL Persons in London or the Country, who have any Demand on Mr. Christopher Stedman, late of Birmingham, but since of Swithin's Lane Lombard Street, London, Ironmonger, are desired forthwith to send the Particulars and Amount thereof to Mr. Watts, Attorney, in Basinghall-Street, London; which Accounts so sent it is expected will procure speedy Satisfaction.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Mantell, of Plaistow in the County of Essex, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on the 14th Day of November instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at Tom's Coffee-house in Cornhill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Actions or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matters in Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Walkinton Kilbinton, of the Parish of St. Paul Shadwell in the County of Middlesex, Sailmaker, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on the 12th Day of November instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Three Tuns Tavern in Gracechurch-street, London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Actions or Suits at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of or concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter in Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs. N. B. At the same Time and Place the Creditors may receive their Dividend under the said Commission.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against George Whiffin and Robert Cromwell, of Fashion-Street Spitalfields in the County of Middlesex, Weavers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects, on the 12th Day of November instant, at Five in the Afternoon, at the London Stone Tavern in Cannon-street, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupts Estate; and to their agreeing, compounding, or submitting to Arbitration, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors of Joseph Mackeness, late of Thames-Street, London, Blacksmith, deceased, are hereby desired to take Notice, that the Trustees intend to make a Dividend of the whole Estate and Effects, and pay the same to the said Creditors, on Tuesday the 25th Instant, at the Horse and Dorsers on Bread-street Hill, London, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon; and all Persons who have not sent in their Demands, are hereby desired to send them in, before the said Day, to the said Trustees, John Newell, of Queenhithe, Tinman, or Thomas Tomlin, of Painters Hall, Trinity-Lane, otherwise they will be excluded all Benefit of the said Estate and Effects.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against George Clipson, of Gutter-Lane, London, Baker, Dealer, and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects on the 14th Day of November instant, at the Temple Exchange Coffeehouse in Fleet-street, London, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

WHereas the Commissioners named and authorized in and by a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Noah Duckett, of Friday-street, London, Silkman, met on the 7th Day of November instant, at Guildhall, London, pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette, for the Choice of an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; but no Creditors being then present to chuse the same, the said Choice is adjourned to the 17th Day of this Instant November, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon; when